

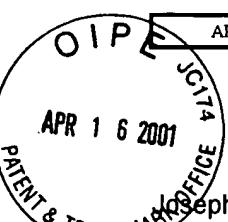


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

04/17/2001 TGEDAMU1 00000039 090459 09749407 FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

01 FC:105 130.00 CH *Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$720.
 - \$720 for 9 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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• The balance due by applicant is \$ 850. 01 FC:102 720.00 CH

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
- An Abstract not to exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.72(b)).

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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Attorney Docket No.: Docket No. SOM920000015/1963-7407

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Applicants: James S. Lipscomb et al. : Group Art Unit: 2611
Serial No.: 09/749,407 : Examiner: Unassigned
Filed: December 28, 2000 :
For: INTERACTIVE TV CONTEXTUAL CONTENT SURFING USING INTER-
CHANNEL HYPERLINKING: SYSTEMS, METHODS & PROGRAM
PRODUCTS

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

BOX MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION-FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b) - FILING DATE GRANTED, mailed February
16, 2001, Applicants submit herewith the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office:

- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
- Executed Declaration, 3 pgs.

Also attached please find:

- Preliminary Amendment w/Attachment A, showing mark-up of changes
- Substitute Drawing, with Figs. 3 and 5 attached
- Substitute Abstract of the Disclosure
- Executed Assignment, 4 pgs., including Assignment Cover Sheet

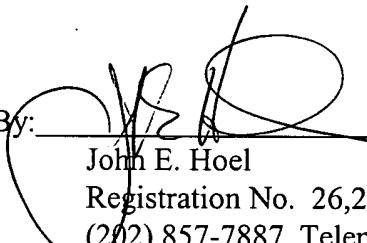
Information Disclosure Statement, w/PTO Form-1449 and 1 ref. attached.

Please charge the required fee of \$130.00 to deposit account no 04-0459, Order No. SOM92000015/1963-7407. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to deposit account no 09-0459, Order No. SOM92000015/1963-7407. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS

Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION-FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b) - FILING DATE GRANTED, mailed February 16, 2001, Applicants submit herewith Figures 3 and 5 (2 sheets of formal drawings). The drawings have been revised as required under 37 CFR 1.84.

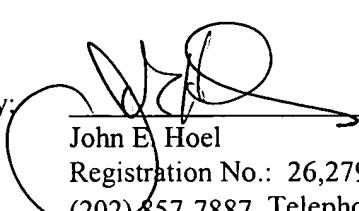
Applicants believe that no fee is due with the submission of these formal drawings. However, in the event that a fee is found to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee(s) to IBM Deposit Account No. 09-0459, Order No. SOM920000015/1963-7407. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS PAPER IS ATTACHED HERETO.

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